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Concord, N.H. 7 April, 1835.

Rev. Amos A. Phelps,

Dear Sir,

I am requested in behalf of the Managers of the Newhampshire Anti Slavery Society to invite you to attend the annual meeting of said Society, which (with divine permission) will be holden in this Town on Thursday, the 4th of June next.

The occasion, we trust, will be propitious to the cause, inasmuch as the executive and legislative branches of the State Government will then be in Session / We hope more from the new Legislature than the last, this being in part a new body and composed of but few of the old members, and of none of those who opposed us last year so far as I can learn) and a large number of clergymen and gentlemen of intelligence from all parts of the State, will probably be convened at that time.

You will allow us to hope that the friends of the cause in this region may be cheered and animated by your presence and by your participation in the transactions of the Society, to the formation of which your efforts so essentially contributed.

I am with sincere regard,
Your friend, John Farmer.

Our new paper is well received. Hundreds take it who could not or would not take the Liberator. As light bursts on their vision, they will not be satisfied with the Herald, but will want a larger vehicle of intelligence, & I doubt not, the former will eventually increase the circulation of the latter — the Liberator. I shall send this letter and the one for Mr. Thompson to Mr. Bacon, for him to direct to you.